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•	)	August 26, 1996
For: Chitinase Materials and Methods	)	hi Hsier Cm-Laures
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## RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS AND NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH SEQUENCE LISTING REQUIREMENTS AND

SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE COMPUTER READABLE FORM OF SEQUENCE LISTING

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

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Sir:

In a Notice to File Missing Parts mailed August 16, 1996 (copy enclosed), Applicant was notified that the application did not comply with the sequence rules. The accompanying Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures (copy also enclosed) indicated that the computer readable form (CRF) of the sequence listing was damaged and/or unreadable. In response, Applicants provide herewith a substitute CRF of the Sequence Listing and a new statement under 37 C.F.R. §1.825(d) that the substitute CRF copy is identical to that originally filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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### NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

FILING DATE GRANTED				
An Application Number and Filing Date have been assigned to this application. However, the items indicated below are missing. The required items and fees identified below must be timely submitted ALONG WITH THE PAYMENT OF A SURCHARGE for items 1 and 3-6 only of \$ for large entities or \$ for small entities who have filed a verified statement claiming such status. The surcharge is set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e).				
If all required items on this form are filed within the period set below, the total amount owed by applicant as a large entity, small entity (verified statement filed), is \$\frac{1}{2}\$.				
Applicant is given ONE MONTH FROM THE DATE OF THIS LETTER, OR TWO MONTHS FROM THE FILING DATE of this application, WHICHEVER IS LATER, within which to file all required items and pay any fees required above to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).				
1. ☐ The statutory basic filing fee is: ☐ missing ☐ insufficient. Applicant as a ☐ large entity ☐ small entity, must submit \$to complete the basic filing fee.				
2. ☐ Additional claim fees of \$ as a ☐ large entity, ☐ small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.				
3. □ The oath or declaration: □ is missing. □ does not cover the newly submitted items.				
An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date is required.				
4. ☐ The oath or declaration does not identify the application to which it applies. An oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.				
5. ☐ The signature(s) to the oath or declaration is/are: ☐ missing; ☐ by a person other than the inventor or a person qualified under 37 CFR 1.42, 1.43, or 1.47. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.				
6. $\square$ The signature of the following joint inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:				
An oath or declaration listing the names of all inventors and signed by the omitted inventor(s), identifying this application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.				
7.  The application was filed in a language other than English. Applicant must file a verified English translation of the application and a fee of \$under 37 CFR 1.17(k), unless this fee has already been paid.				
8.   A \$processing fee is required since your check was returned without payment. (37 CFR 1.21(m)).				
$9.\ \square$ Your filing receipt was mailed in error because your check was returned without payment.				
The application does not comply with the Sequence Rules. See attached Notice to Comply with Sequence Rules 37 CFR 1.821-1.825.				
11. □ Other. 1 205 35.00 CL				
Direct the response to Box Missing Part and refer any questions to the Customer Service Center at (703) 308-1202.				

A copy of this notice <u>MUST</u> be returned with the response.

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#### STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.825(d)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

I hereby declare under 36 C.F.R. §1.825(d) that the contents of the substitute computer readable form of the Sequence Listing submitted herewith are the same as the contents of the paper copy of the Sequence Listing as originally filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.821(c).

Respectfully submitted,

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#### TRANSMITTAL OF EXECUTED DECLARATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Attention: Application Branch

Sir:

application.

Submitted herewith is an executed Declaration for filing in the above-identified

#### **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING (37 CFR 1.8)**

I hereby certify that this paper and the documents referred to as enclosed therewith are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail, postage prepaid, on August 26, 1996 in an envelope addressed to Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

i-Hsien Rin-Laures

Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$65.00 in payment of the fee.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the amount enclosed or any additional fees which may be required under 37 CFR 1.16 or 1.17 to Deposit Account No. 13-2855. A copy of this request is enclosed.

Please refund any overpayment to Marshall, O'Toole, Gerstein, Murray & Borun at the address below.

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